

PICKSTONE'S

FRUIT TREES

AND VINES



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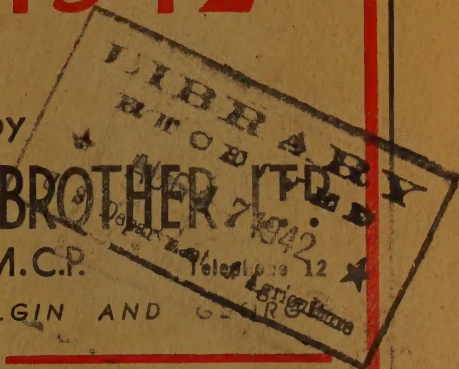
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THIS CATALOGUE THIS

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

We have much pleasure in presenting you with our **Forty-eighth Annual Catalogue of Fruit Trees and Vines**, and avail ourselves of the opportunity to thank our customers for the support accorded to us during the last forty-seven seasons, and we shall do our best to merit a continuance of their favour and recommendation. We spare no pains and expense to produce trees and vines of the highest possible quality.

We regret this catalogue is smaller than usual but the scarcity of paper owing to the war, is responsible.

We do not sell Cheap Trees. In the long run they invariably prove dear to the purchaser. Our Prices are reasonable, and all care is exercised in the selection of buds and scions. We have the retention of our good name always before us. A saving of a few pence per tree now may be bitterly regretted a few years hence.

Prices are clearly stated on pages 2 and 3.

Packing is carefully done for transmission to any part of the world. A moderate charge is made. See page 3.

Orders are accepted in terms of our Conditions of Sale at any time for execution from 20th June to 15th September. Citrus trees can be supplied at practically any time. Small Orders are welcomed, and receive the same care and attention as large ones.

Alterations or delays to orders cannot be accepted later than ten days prior to date of despatch.

Cancellation of orders booked definitely cannot be accepted except in cases of extreme necessity.

Mistakes or errors should be notified to us immediately, and same will at once be rectified, in terms of our Conditions of Sale. Our aim is to satisfy you.

Complaints of any kind should also be made immediately to enable us to have an opportunity of looking into the matter.

Responsibility for delay or loss. We must emphasize the fact that all orders are at the risk of the purchaser after being put on rail. We must not be held responsible for any loss or delay that may occur through the negligence of the forwarders, or for failure of any trees after being planted, as it must be recognised that once the trees have been placed on rail, well packed and in good condition, they are entirely beyond our control.

Substitution. Please answer questions on Order Form, and if no substitution is desired please say so.

Selection of Varieties can be left to us if desired. We are acquainted with the various districts and may be able to help you. Your confidence will not be misplaced.

Full Instructions for Planting accompany the dispatch of each order.

Terms. Nett Cash on receipt of consignments. Interest at the rate of 6% will be charged on all accounts not paid within three months of invoice date.

All trees and vines are fumigated before dispatch in accordance with Government Regulations.

Visitors. Often we receive visits from Clients who wish to take their trees away with them. We must point out that this is often impossible as all trees must be fumigated before leaving the Nurseries and unless the trees are ordered beforehand, this means considerable delay.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

Every possible precaution is taken to prevent errors and to ensure that our trees are true to name and label and that same are free from pests or disease at the time of despatch, but it is impossible to give any guarantee, express or implied, in regard to any or all of the above statements. It is therefore stipulated that the following are express terms of every contract for the sale of trees:—

- (a) In the event of any trees being found to be untrue to name or label, we shall be liable only either to supply fresh trees in the place of those found to be untrue to name or label or to refund the purchase price of the individual trees in question.
- (b) In the event of any trees being found to be affected by pests or disease after same have been planted out, no liability whatsoever will rest upon us in that regard.
- (c) In cases of orders booked for delivery more than three months ahead, no liability will rest upon us in the event of failure to effect delivery on the agreed-upon date if such failure be caused by the trees failing to grow to standard size owing to adverse weather or other conditions or upon their delivery having been rendered impossible or impracticable for any other reason.

Our Nurseries are annually inspected by the Government and before despatch of any trees all reasonably possible steps are taken by us to ensure that same are free from all pests or disease. All trees at the time of leaving our premises are believed to be healthy and free from crown gall, pests and other diseases.

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H. E. V. PICKSTONE & BROTHER,
LIMITED.

Order
No.

P.O. SIMONDIUM, CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.

Order Sheet for Fruit Trees, Season 194

PLEASE WRITE PLAINLY.

Dear Sirs,194.....
I hereby agree to take the following list of trees, subject to the above named Conditions of Sale.

Full Name

Full Postal Address.....

Rail- or Road Motor Station..... Forwarding Agent (if any).....

Here state how Trees are to be forwarded, i.e., by rail or post.....

Approximate date of despatch.....
(Trees will be forwarded within 5 days before or 5 days after this date).

Please answer these questions:

(1) Should we be sold out of first size, may we substitute second, and vice versa?

(2) Should we be sold out of second size, may we substitute third, and vice versa?

(3) Should we be sold out of any varieties ordered, may we substitute varieties as nearly as possible similar?

DECIDUOUS TREES.								
Size 1	Size 2	Varieties	Size 1	Size 2	Varieties	Size 1	Size 2	Varieties
APPLES on BLIGHTPROOF STOCKS			DWARF PEARS ON QUINCE STOCKS			PLUMS		
		Ballarat Seedling			Bon Chrétien (Williams)			Czar
		Ben Davis			Beurre Hardy			Damask
		Blenheim Orange Pippin			December			Diamond
		Cellini			Doyenne du Comice			Early Golden Drop
		Christmas			Keifer Hybrid			Greengage
		Cleopatra			Louise Bonne			Hahn's d'Almagne
		Cliff's Seedling			Packham's Triumph			Pond's Seedling
		Commerce						President
		Cox Orange Pippin						Pride of England
		Delicious						Reid's Late Gem
		Early Harvest						Rivers' Early Prolific
		Emperor Alexander						Rivers' Late Prolific
		Esopus Spitzenberg						
		George Apple						
		Golden Delicious						
		Granny Smith						
		Gravenstein						
		Jonathan						
		King of Tomkins County						
		Lady Carrington (Alma)						
		Lalla						
		Laxton's						
		London Pippin						
		Lord Wolseley						
		Mackintosh Red						
		Missouri Pippin						
		Monmouth Pippin						
		Nickajack						
		Northern Spy						
		Ohinemuri						
		Prince Bismarck						
		Red Astrachan						
		Reinette du Canada						
		Rhode Island Greening						
		Rokewood						
		Rome Beauty						
		Sharp's Early						
		Versfeld's						
		Wemmer's Hoek						
		White Winter Pearmain						
		William Anderson						
		William's Favourite						
		Wine Sap						
		Yates (York Imperial)						
		Yellow Newton Pippin						
APPLES on CAPE SEEDLING STOCKS			PEACHES			JAPANESE PLUMS		
		Blenheim Orange Pippin			Angel			Abundance
		Cleopatra			Babcock			Apple
		Commerce			Brigg's Red May			Beauty
		Cox Orange Pippin			Brook			Burbank
		Delicious			Constantia			Chalcot
		Golden Delicious			Crimson Galande			Eclipse
		Granny Smith			Cumberland			Eldorado
		Gravenstein			Dagmar			Formosa
		Jonathan			Dr. Hogg			Gaviota
		King of Tomkins County			Duke of York			Kelsey
		Lady Carrington (Alma)			Du Plessis			Methley
		Lalla			Early Alexander			October Purple
		Mackintosh Red			Early Crawford			Santa Rosa
		Ohinemuri			Early Dawn			Satsuma
		Reinette du Canada			Early Rivers			Shiro Smomo
		Rokewood			Elberta			Wickson
		Rome Beauty			Florida Crawford			
		Sharp's Early			Foster			
		Versfeld's			Gaume Cling			
		Wemmer's Hoek			George's Late Cling			
		White Winter Pearmain			Gladstone			
		William's Favourite			Goodmans Choice			
		Yates (York Imperial)			Haus Cling			
					High's Early Canada			
					Improved Waldo			
					Inkoo			
					J.H. Hale (Million Dollar)			
					Kakamas (Collins) Cling			
					Killiekrankie			
					King Edward VII			
					Late Crawford			
					Lemon Cling			
					Le Vainqueur			
					Mamie Ross			
					Marina			
					Mary's Choice			
					Mayflower			
					Mountain Rose			
					Muir			
					Nectar			
					Nectarine Peach			
					Newhall			
					Okiahoma Queen			
					Oriole			
					Pallas			
					Palora Cling			
					Peak Cling			
					Peento			
					Peregrine			
					Phillip's Cling			
					Pucelle de Malines			
					Puller's Cling			
					Red Bird Cling			
					Rimer			
					Salway			
					Schoongezicht			
					Sea Eagle			
					Seller's Golden Cling			
					Shackleford			
					Sims Cling			
					Sullivan Cling			
					Thomas Rivers			
					Tuscan Cling			
					Van Rensburg			
					Waldo			
					Waterloo			
					White Parvie			
PEARS ON PEAR STOCKS			NECTARINES			JAPANESE ORNAMENTAL PLUMS		
		Bon Chrétien (Williams)			Albert			Pissardii
		Beurre d'Anjou			De Cousa			Vesuvius
		Beurre Bosc			Early Rivers			
		Beurre Diel			Goldmine			
		Beurre Hardy			Newton			
		Beurre Superfine			Stanwick			
		Clapp's Favourite			Victoria			
		December						
		Doyenne du Comice						
		Easter Beurre						
		Fertility						
		Forelle						
		Glou Morceau						
		Josephine de Malines						
		Keifer Hybrid						
		Le Conte						
		Louise Bonne						
		Packham's Triumph						
		Sweet Safran						
		Winter Nellis						
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APRICOTS			QUINCES			ALMONDS		
		Alpha			Borrie			Brand's Jordan
		Blenheim			Cape Selected			Britz
		Bulida			Meeches Prolific			Drake's Seedling
		Early Cape			Orange			I.X.L.
		Moorpark			Portugal			Jordan
		Old Cape			Rae's Mammoth			Ne Plus Ultra
		Royal			Van Dieman			Nonpareil
		Tilton						Paper Shell
								Texas Prolific
FIGS			WALNUTS			HAZELNUTS		
		Adam			Ordinary English			
		Calimyrna						
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GENERAL INFORMATION FOR CUSTOMERS.

TO CLIENTS IN RHODESIA.

Customs Forms accompany advice of dispatch, and must be presented to your Station when trees are called for.

We have full permits for the introduction of all our trees into Rhodesia.

TO CLIENTS IN KENYA, NYASALAND, TANGANYIKA, MOZAMBIQUE, Etc.

Permits to import must be obtained from the Directors of Agriculture at Nairobi, Zomba, Dar-es-Salaam, Lourenco Marques or Beira, and forwarded to us with the orders. Trees for Kenya and Tanganyika are shipped from Cape Town and accounts for freight and shipping charges will be rendered by the following mail. Trees for Nyasaland can now be sent direct by Rail. Trees for Katanga are sent direct by rail and trees for Ruanda-Urundi by steamer to Dar-es-Salaam.

FREE DELIVERY.

Orders for 50 or more trees or vines, no matter how many varieties or sizes, sent in one consignment, will be sent rail free to any railway station or railway road motor service station in the Union, including South West Africa, Swaziland and Lourenco Marques.

Rhodesian orders will also be sent carriage paid if 50 or more trees are ordered in one lot, but only to railway stations or sidings—not to road-motor stations—any railway station to the Congo Border and Beira.

All trees will be sent by goods train. If passenger train is desired, customers must pay the difference between the two rates.

Small Orders of Fruit Trees can be sent by Parcels Post quite satisfactorily.

50 or more trees or vines will be sent postage free by Agricultural Parcels Post within the Union, Basutoland and Swaziland only. All other postage must be paid by consignee.

For Parcels Post orders we naturally have to select the lighter trees, so that clients obtaining their trees by post must not expect to receive as large a tree, either in first or second sizes, as they would receive were the trees sent by rail. Parcels Post is very well suited for the transportation of small orders for Citrus trees.

RAILAGE.

Clients often hesitate to order our well-known trees, especially when resident at a great distance from our Nurseries, fearing the transport charges will be prohibitive. As noted in our Free Delivery Clause, railage is paid in the Union and neighbouring countries on orders for 50 or more trees. Less than this number, consignments are sent carriage forward. The approximate railage by goods train on an order of say 15 to 40 trees is only about 1/- to 1/6 to any place in the Union, and to Rhodesia and South West Africa probably 2/- to 5/-, dependent on distance.

TIME OF PLANTING.

Deciduous Trees and Vines: 20th June to 15th September.

Citrus Trees: Any time, dependent on local conditions. July and August are, however, the best months.

INFORMATION REGARDING TREE SIZES.

The First Size Trees are over 3 ft. in height. The Second Size Trees are over 2 ft. in height. This means that in the stronger growing sorts the height is very much more. The stated sizes of 2 ft. and 3 ft. apply mainly to apples and pears. In the case of stone fruits and Citrus these sizes are usually very much exceeded. For example, the first size Citrus before topping would stand about 5 ft. In practice, our grading, following the example of the American Nurseries, is done more by girth than height. Habit of growth must also of course be taken into consideration. In a strong growing variety such as Grape Fruit, the first size would be of much greater girth than a weak growing variety such as Nartje. In the instance of Figs and Walnuts, the respective heights are usually considerably below the above measurements. Vines are strong and mainly worked on two year old roots. In the instance of two year old branched Pear and Apple trees, the heights may be less.

PRICE LIST.

DECIDUOUS TREES:—

CIDUOUS TREES:—					Under 10 Trees	Over 10 Trees	Over 100 Trees
Apples, Pears, Peaches, Nectarines, Apricots,	}	FIRST SIZE	....	....	2/3	2/-	1/6 per tree
Plums, Prunes, Cherries, Almonds, Quinces,		SECOND SIZE	....	....	1/9	1/6	1/3 „
Figs, Walnuts and Pomegranates.							

CITRUS- and OLIVE TREES:—

Oranges, Lemons, Limes, Citrons, Grape } FIRST SIZE	4/-	3/6	3/- per tree
Fruit, Loquats, Olives and Guavas. } SECOND SIZE	3/-	2/6	2/3 „
Nartje Trees	FIRST SIZE	4/-	3/6 per tree
	SECOND SIZE	3/-	2/9 „

EXTRA SIZE TREES. Deciduous 2/9 each; Citrus and Olives 5/- each; Nartjes 5/6 each, any Quantity.

PERSIMMONS, HAZELNUTS and MULBERRIES 1st Size 3/6 each; 2nd Size 2/6 each; Extra Size 5/- each.

VINES 1/- each, £2 for 50, £3 for 100. Extra size 1/6 each.

LOGANBERRIES, YOUNGBERRIES, GRENADILLAS & BLACKBERRIES 1/- each, 30/- for 50, £2. 10 per 100.

SPECIAL COMMERCIAL RATES FOR ORDERS OF 25 OR MORE TREES OF ONE NAMED VARIETY,
for example 25 or more Duke of York peach trees, or 25 or more Washington Navel orange trees, etc.

	SIZE 1	SIZE 2
DECIDUOUS TREES	1/3	1/- per tree.
CITRUS- and OLIVE TREES	2/9	2/- „
NARTJE TREES	3/3	2/6 „
VINES	£10 per 500, £15 per 1000.	

These Special Prices do not apply to Persimmons, Hazelnuts, Walnuts, Cherries, Pomegranates or Loquats.

SPECIAL QUOTATIONS GIVEN FOR BULK ORDERS EXCEEDING ONE THOUSAND TREES.

We usually have Third Size Trees, in both Deciduous and Citrus — Prices 25% below 2nd size prices.

SMALL GARDEN ORDERS.

SELECTED BY US.

We will deliver postage or railage free, anywhere in the Union, small lots of our Famous Trees as under:—

		Extra Size	1st Size	2nd Size
A.— 6 Deciduous Trees	....	18/—	15/—	12/—
12 " "	....	35/—	25/—	20/—
B.— 6 Citrus Trees	....	33/—	27/—	21/—
12 " "	....	65/—	47/—	35/—
C.— 6 Vines, Berries or Grenadillas	....	11/—	7/6	—
12 " "	....	19/—	13/—	—

Selection will be made from the most suitable varieties for your District. When ordering mention Garden Order A, B, or C, and send remittance. South West Africa 2/6 extra. Rhodesia 5/— extra.

PACKING CHARGES.

Owing to the heavily increased cost of packing materials, we have felt ourselves compelled to slightly increase our Packing Charges. These will be in future as under:—

DECIDUOUS TREES:	Per 100 trees	....	....	....	....	....	3/6
	Per 1000 trees	....	....	....	....	....	25/—
	Small Bales	....	....	....	....	....	each 1/3

VINES	....	Per 100	....	....	....	....	2/6
		Per 1000	....	....	....	....	15/—

CITRUS TREES: Packing charged according to number of crates used, and at less than cost:—

			Containing approximately				
		Extra size	1st size	2nd size	3rd size		
Full Crates, 5/— each	....	32	50	56	60	trees or more.	
$\frac{3}{4}$ " 4/— "	....	24	36	45	45	" "	
$\frac{1}{2}$ " 3/— "	....	16	25	30	30	" "	
$\frac{1}{4}$ " 2/— "	....	8	10	14	15	" "	

Very small lots are packed in bales, at 1/3 per bale, but when necessary to pack in a small crate we charge 2/6 for the crate, as more moss, which is expensive, is required when the crate is not filled with trees.

PACKING MATERIALS NOT RETURNABLE.

DESCRIPTION OF VARIETIES.

FIGS.

ADAM.—Skin brownish. Flesh pink to red. Medium to large. Heavy bearer.

BLACK MISSION.—Medium to large. Dark purple to black.

CALIMYRNA.—Commonly called Smyrna. Greenish to bright yellow. Flesh pink.

CAPE WHITE.—Small, roundish, flat. Pale green. Flesh white. The best for jam and suitable for drying.

CASTLE KENNEDY.—Very large. Pale brown mottled with grey. Flesh pale, slightly red. Not recommended in cold districts.

EVA.—Below medium size. Flavour excellent. Said to be the best for konfyt.

KADOTA.—Medium size. Light green. Sweet. Nearly seedless.

NEW BRUNSWICK.—We have only a few trees of this variety.

NEGRO LARGO.—Very large. Jet black. Flesh pale red.

TIGER.—Also known as Panachee. Medium size. Yellowish, striped green. Flesh bright. A prolific bearer.

WHITE ADRIATIC.—Medium to large. Green turning yellow. Flesh pink to red. Good eater and drier.

WHITE GENOA.—Medium size. Skin greenish brown. Flesh pale red. An excellent sort.

APPLES.—On Blight-proof and Seedling Stocks.

A number of sorts on Selected Seedling Stocks. — See Order Form for varieties.

APPLES ON SELECTED SEEDLING SWEET STOCK.—We are now propagating extensively the principal commercial varieties of apples on selected seedling stock. In parts of the country where the woolly aphid is under control, many are preferring to have their apples on this stock as the trees make a stronger growth.

WE SPECIALLY ADVISE APPLES ON SEEDLING STOCK FOR KENYA.

EARLY VARIETIES:

CELLINI.—Cooking. Yellow and red. Free grower and excellent bearer.

CHRISTMAS.—Old Colonial sort, also known as New Year or Lady Apple. High colour. Good bearer.

EARLY HARVEST.—Very early. Pale yellow colour.

LADY CARRINGTON (Alma).—A first class dessert apple. Medium size, with dark red cheek.

RED ASTRACHAN.—Red. Free grower and bearer.

SHARP'S EARLY.—Yellow with red and crimson stripes. Blight-proof. Heavy bearer. Highly recommended.

WILLIAM'S FAVOURITE.—Red. Good size. Blight-proof. Highly recommended.

MID-SEASON VARIETIES:

BLENHEIM ORANGE PIPPIN.—Large. Yellowish, red streaked.

EMPEROR ALEXANDER.—Cooking. Very large. Greenish yellow and red. Bears well.

GRAVENSTEIN.—Large. Greenish yellow streaked with red and orange. Bears well. Cooking and market.

JONATHAN.—Yellow and red. Upright grower. Very productive.

LATE VARIETIES:

BALLARAT SEEDLING.—Large. Cooking. Green and yellow with red cheek.

BEN DAVIS.—Medium to large size. Yellowish, splashed with red. An abundant bearer.

CLEOPATRA.—Medium size. Yellow and green. Very heavy cropper.

CLIFF'S SEEDLING.—Upright grower. Blight-proof. Highly coloured.

COMMERCE.—Red. Round. Large. Heavy bearer. Highly recommended.

COX'S ORANGE PIPPIN.—General favourite. Medium size. Golden with red blush. Ripens March and later.

DELICIOUS.—Red and yellowish. Free and hardy grower. Bears well. Highly recommended.

ESOPUS SPITZENBERG.—Red. Medium size, slightly conical. Bears well.

GEORGE APPLE.—Very large. Greenish yellow and red. Medium late. Bears well. Table and cooking.

GOLDEN DELICIOUS.—Similar to Delicious. Golden yellow colour when ripe.

GRANNY SMITH.—Large and juicy. Greenish yellow. Much esteemed.

KING OF TOMKINS COUNTY.—Large size. Striped yellow and red.

LALLA.—Similar to Delicious but red entirely. An excellent apple. Sometimes known as Red Delicious.

LAXTON'S.—Popular English variety. Does well here. High colour. Good keeper. Strongly recommended.

LONDON PIPPIN.—Large, roundish, slightly flattened. Greenish yellow.

LORD WOLSELEY.—Greenish yellow. A dessert or cooking apple. Nearly blight-proof.

MACKINTOSH RED.—A well and favourably known American export variety.

MISSOURI PIPPIN.—Large size. Pale, whitish-yellow, splashed red.

MONMOUTH PIPPIN.—Large. Pale yellow with red blush. Free grower and productive.

NICKAJACK.—Large, round. Yellowish with red stripes. Recommended for Eastern Coast Districts.

NORTHERN SPY.—Large. Greenish-yellow with red cheek next sun. Blight-proof.

OHINEMURI.—Known as Munro's Favourite in Australia and Dunn's Seedling in England. Flattened. Skin bright yellow clouded brown. One of the best all round varieties. Highly recommended.

PRINCE BISMARCK.—Large. Yellow with red streaks.

REINETTE DU CANADA.—Large. Cooking and dessert. Greenish yellow covered with brown russety dots. Recommended.

RHODE ISLAND GREENING.—Large roundish. Dark green becoming yellow.

ROKEWOOD.—Yellow, covered with red. One of the best late keepers. Recommended.

ROME BEAUTY.—Large, roundish. Yellow and red. Bears very young. Cannot be too highly recommended.

VERSFELD'S.—Large. Greenish-yellow streaked red. Nearly blight-proof. Very highly recommended.

WEMMER'S HOEK.—Hardy Colonial variety. Bears tremendously. Medium size. Red.

APPLES.—On Blight-proof and Seedling Stocks.—Late Varieties.—(Ctd.)

WHITE WINTER PEARMAN.—Medium to large. Pale yellow with brick red cheek. Nearly blight-proof. Does well in Eastern Province. Recommended.

WILLIAM ANDERSON.—Very pretty dessert apple. Medium size. Good flavour.

WINE SAP.—Yellow, overspread with red. Medium size. Good grower, free bearer.

YATES.—(York Imperial).—Medium. Yellow with red shades. A beautiful apple but smallish.

YELLOW NEWTON PIPPIN.—Large, roundish, flattened. Brownish with red cheek.

PEARS.—On Pear Stocks.

We are very short of Pear trees for 1942 Season owing to failure of Stocks and can only accept small orders.

EARLY VARIETIES:

CLAPP'S FAVOURITE.—Large. Resembles Bon Chretien but a week earlier.

DECEMBER.—Earliest pear known. Prolific bearer. Small.

SWEET SAFRAAN.—The well-known old Dutch variety.

MID-SEASON VARIETIES:

BEURRE D'ANJOU.—Ripens February. One of best American export varieties.

BON CHRETIEN.—The Williams Pear of England, and the Bartlett of the United States. The most famous pear in the whole world. Suitable for all purposes. The best drying and canning sort.

BEURRE BOSC.—Large. Free grower and prolific bearer. Does well here. Excellent keeper.

BEURRE HARDY.—Large, handsome. Good keeper. Popular export sort.

BEURRE SUPERFINE.—A very fine pear. Large. Bears and grows well.

DOYENNE DU COMICE.—Large. Delicous. Rather a shy bearer. Fetches highest prices in all markets. Stores well.

FERTILITY.—Very prolific. Medium size.

LE CONTE.—Large yellow pear. Medium early. Recommended for tropical climates.

LOUISE BONNE.—Medium size. Bears in clusters. Prolific. Excellent shipper.

LATE VARIETIES:

BEURRE DIEP.—Large, handsome dessert pear. Good keeper and shipper.

EASTER BEURRE.—Very late. Large size. Excellent keeper.

FORELLE.—Known as the Trout pear owing to its brilliant markings. Medium size. Bears young. Excellent keeper.

GLOU MORCEAU.—Above medium size. Excellent shipper and keeper.

JOSEPHINE DE MALINES.—Very late. Good size. Recommended for export.

KEIFFER HYBRID.—Large size. Excellent canning pear. Thoroughly recommended. Excellent keeper. Also suitable for tropical areas.

PACKHAM'S TRIUMPH.—Prolific bearer. Good size. Bears early.

WINTER NELIS.—Medium size russet pear. Popular export sort. Keeps well.

WINTER SAFRAAN.—The well-known old Dutch variety. Stores for several months.

PEARS.—On Quince Stocks.

In both Europe and America, Pear trees are being propagated very largely on Quince stock, and there are certain definite advantages in this propagation, perhaps not so much for commercial orchards excepting where conditions are favourable, but for small plantations and gardens there are the following advantages:—

1. Being permanently dwarfed the pear tree occupies little space and can be planted eight or nine feet apart.
2. The tree starts bearing very much sooner. For example, a tree on free growing stock which comes into bearing six years after planting, might be expected when on quince stock to start bearing at three years.
3. The tree being dwarfed, the crop is more easily handled and the tree and fruit more easily sprayed. Where planted for commercial purposes it has been found that production per acre from dwarfed trees is at least equal to free growing trees.

In the cases of these dwarf pears grafted on quince stock, the respective sizes of first and second size trees will be rather less than when grafted on standard stock.

The prices will be the same as for 1st or 2nd sized Deciduous trees. We are able to raise the stocks for these dwarf trees most successfully at our George Nurseries.

This year the following varieties will be stocked.

BON CHRETIEN (Williams).—

BEURRE HARDY.—

DECEMBER.—

DOYENNE DU COMICE.—

KEIFFER HYBRID.—

LOUISE BONNE.—

PACKHAM'S TRIUMPH.— Sold out for 1942 season.

PEACHES.—On Peach Stocks. FREESTONE.

EARLY VARIETIES:

BRIGGS RED MAY.—Medium to large. White skin with red cheek. Good shipper.
DUKE OF YORK.—Highly coloured. Good size. Highly recommended.
EARLY ALEXANDER.—Greenish white nearly covered with red. Standard early.
EARLY DAWN.—Ripens a few days before Inkoos. Has the advantage of a high colour. Good flavour.
EARLY RIVERS.—Large. Pale yellow with red cheeks. Heavy bearer.
HIGH'S EARLY CANADA.—Whitish yellow with red cheek. Medium size. Bears well.
INKOOS.—Good flavour. Medium size. Highly recommended.
KING EDWARD VII.—Valuable for its extreme earliness. Medium size.

LE VAINQUEUR.—Large. Creamy white with blush cheek. Ripens before Alexander.
MARINA.—Medium size. Highly coloured. Smooth skin. Good flavour.
MAYFLOWER.—Fair size. High colour. Ripens 14 days before Alexander. Good.
MOUNTAIN ROSE.—Good size. Fair colour. Ripens after Alexander. Satisfactory here.
NECTAR.—California's new early peach. Firm flesh. Delicious.
OKLAHOMA QUEEN.—Good size and appearance. Of Chinese strain, but likely to do well anywhere.
WATERLOO.—Above medium size. Light red cheek, dark next sun. Very early and good for export.

MID-SEASON VARIETIES:

BABCOCK.—A new freestone from California. Medium. Highly coloured. Good for warm areas.
CONSTANTIA.—January. Good appearance and flavour. Recommended.
CRIMSON GALANDE.—Large. Almost all over dark red. A very excellent sort.
CUMBERLAND.—Newly imported by us. White flesh, ripens early January. High colour; bears well; medium size.
Dr. HOGG.—Medium size. Yellow with red cheek. Does well here.
DU PLESSIS.—Yellow Freestone. Ripens February. Good drying variety. Originated in Kakamas, Cape Province and should do well in warm dry areas.
EARLY CRAWFORD.—Very large. Yellow with red cheek. Splendid for market, canning and drying.
ELBERTA.—Large. Yellow with red cheek. Our best yellow. Suitable for canning, drying and export.
FLORIDA CRAWFORD.—Light yellow with red cheek. Large size. Does well in the Transvaal, also in tropical areas.
FOSTER.—Large. Deep orange with red cheek. Good for drying and the market.

J.H. HALE.—Larger than Elberta. Round. Golden yellow overlaid with carmine. Carries well and good for canning.
LATE CRAWFORD.—Similar to the Early Crawford, but a little later. Suitable for market and drying.
MAMIE ROSS.—Very large. White. Does well here. Recommended for local markets and home use.
MARY'S CHOICE.—Large. Yellow with red cheek. Suitable for market, canning and drying.
MILLION DOLLAR.—Same as J.H. Hale.
MUIR.—Very large. Yellow. One of the best drying peaches.
ORIOLE.—Yellow flesh. Recently imported by us. Ripens early January. Delicious flavour.
PEREGRINE.—Large. Brilliant crimson. Excellent peach. Highly recommended.
RIMER.—A most excellent mid-season freestone. Similar to Schoongezicht.
SCHOONGEZICHT.—An old Cape variety of delicious flavour and excellent colour. Good bearer and export sort.

LATE VARIETIES:

DAGMAR.—Large. Deep crimson.
GLADSTONE.—Very large. Pale with red cheek. Does very well here.
NECTARINE PEACH.—Good size. High colour. Skin smooth like the Nectarine.
NEWHALL.—Very large. Skin yellow with deep red cheek.

PUCELLE DE MALINES.—Very large. Well coloured. Recommended.
SALWAY.—Large. Yellow, crimson cheek. Very late. Good for market and drying.
SEA EAGLE.—Large. Greenish-white with fair colour.
THOMAS RIVERS.—Large, round with bright red cheek. Good flavour.

CLINGSTONE VARIETIES.

GAUME.—Mid-season. Good commercial canning variety. Fruit large, yellow. Vigorous grower and good bearer.
GEORGE'S LATE CLING.—Large. White flesh. Yellowish-green with red cheek. Late. Good for markets.

GOODMAN'S CHOICE.—Large. Yellow. Mid-season.. Highly recommended for canning.
HAUSS.—Early mid-season. Ripens after Tuscan. Yellow. Good canning variety.

PEACHES.—On Peach Stocks.—Clingstone Varieties.—(Contd.)

KAKAMAS (Collins).—The new cling peach originating in Kakamas. Late. Strong grower. Stated to be a heavy regular bearer and greatly favoured by the canneries. Highly recommended. (Sold out 1942 Season).

LEMON CLING.—Mid-season. Large. Skin clear yellow. Good canning peach.

PALORA CLING.—Early. Yellow with slight blush of red. Highly recommended for canning. Sturdy grower. (Sold out 1942 Season).

PEAK.—Mid-season. Large. Yellow. Excellent quality.

PHILLIP'S CLING.—A fine large yellow cling. Late. Much favoured by canners.

PULLAR'S CLING.—Very large and highly coloured. Late. One of the best canning peaches.

RED BIRD CLING.—Early. Skin creamy white, with red cheek. Excellent quality.

SELLER'S GOLDEN CLING.—Very large. Yellow with red cheek. Suitable for market and canning.

SIMS.—Large. Yellow. Round. A little earlier than Phillip's Cling. Classed with the best canning varieties.

SULLIVAN CLING.—An improvement on Phillip's Cling. Fruit large and tree vigorous grower.

TUSCAN CLING.—The earliest cling. Suitable for canning. Very large. Yellow flesh.

VAN RENSBURG.—The latest peach. Ripens in May and April. Yellow and rather tough.

WHITE PARVIE.—Mid-season. The well-known old Cape variety. Suitable for canning.

SUB-TROPICAL VARIETIES.

(Suitable for Low-Veldt and Hot Climates).

FREESTONE.

ANGEL.—Large. Yellow with red cheek.

BROOK.—Large. Yellow with deep blush. Resembles the Foster and Crawford families.

IMPROVED WALDO.—Slightly flattened. Medium size. Cream with red blush.

KILLIEKRANKIE.—Medium to large. Yellow with red cheek.

(Babcock, Du Plessis, Florida Crawford and Oklahoma Queen can also be planted in hot areas).

PALLAS.—Good size, nearly round. Deep red with light yellow at base.

PEENTO.—The flat peach of China. Ripens very early. Quality poorish.

SHACKLEFORD.—Large. Greenish with red cheek.

WALDO.—Medium size. Creamy with red blush.

NECTARINES.—On Peach Stocks.**EARLY VARIETIES:**

EARLY RIVERS.—Large. Dark violet-red. A great success here.

LATE VARIETIES:

NEWTON.—Large. Fine colour. Rich flavour.

STANWICK.—Large. Pale green and red next sun. Very popular.

MID-SEASON VARIETIES:

ALBERT.—Large. Pale cream with carmine blush. Stores well.

DE COUSA.—Large with high colour. Does well in sheltered spots.

GOLDMINE.—Large. Bronzy red. A great success in Africa. One of the best sorts.

VICTORIA.—Large. Pale green with red next sun. An excellent sort.

APRICOTS.—On Peach Stocks.

ALPHA.—One of the earliest sorts. Fruit medium to large.

BLENHEIM.—Of good size. Suitable for drying and canning as well as markets. Does well.

BULIDA.—Flesh very firm, aromatic. Very suitable for export.

EARLY CAPE.—Very early. Propagated from the well-known Western Province variety. Needs no recommendation.

MOORPARK.—The best and largest, but rather a shy bearer. Does well in Transvaal and Natal.

OLD CAPE.—Good for all purposes. Heavy and regular cropper.

ROYAL.—The favourite for drying and general purposes. The most popular Apricot in Africa.

TILTON.—Rather late. Good size and colour. Excellent for all purposes.

PRUNES.—On Mariana Plum Stocks.

CALIFORNIA D'AGEN.—The genuine French Prune of commerce. (Also on Peach stock).

GIANT FRENCH.—Very big fruit. Not

suitable for drying. Good for market and shipping. Ripens same time as D'agen.

SUGAR.—Large and of high quality.

TRAGEDY.—Very early. Medium size.

PLUMS (European Varieties).—On Mariana Plum Stocks.

EARLY VARIETIES:

- EARLY GOLDEN DROP.**—Very popular early yellow cherry plum. Small.
PRIDE OF ENGLAND.—Medium. Dark purple. Free grower and good bearer.
RIVER'S EARLY PROLIFIC.—Medium size. Purple.

MID-SEASON VARIETIES:

- CZAR.**—Large. Red to black. Cooking.
DAMASK.—Large. Purple. Good bearer.

- DIAMOND.**—Large. Black. Heavy cropper.
GREENGAGE.—A plum of good repute.
HAHN'S D'ALMAGNE.—Large. Dark Purple. A good bearer.
POND'S SEEDLING.—Large. Dark red. A beautiful plum.
PRESIDENT.—A variety in great favour.

LATE VARIETIES:

- REID'S LATE GEM.**—Very late. Bears heavily. Does well here.

PLUMS (Japanese Varieties).—On Mariana Plum Stocks.

The Most Suitable for African Conditions.. (A few sorts also on Peach Stocks).

EARLY VARIETIES:

- ABUNDANCE.**—Medium. Yellow with red. Bears as its name implies.
BEAUTY.—Large. Bright red.
ECLIPSE.—Very early. Just after Methley. Red with yellow flesh.
FORMOSA.—Extra large. Very early but a rather shy bearer.
METHLEY.—Small. Dark red. Heavy bearer. Suitable for markets and jam. Red flesh. (Also on Peach Stock).
SANTA ROSA.—One of the best earlies. Large. Red with red flesh. Strongly recommended. (Also on Peach Stock).

MID-SEASON VARIETIES:

- APPLE.**—Large. Of the blood class.
BURBANK.—Medium. Cherry red. Enormous cropper. Suitable for local markets, jam and canning. (Also on Peach Stock).

- CHALCOT.**—Large, crimson.
ELDORADO.—Good size, round. Colours when still hard. Nearly black when ripe.
GAVIOTA.—Good size and quality. Yellow. Regular bearer. (Also on Peach Stock).
OCTOBER PURPLE.—Late. Mid-season. Medium to large. Yellow.
SATSUMA (Blood Plum).—Large. Dark red. Flesh dark purplish red. Suitable for markets and canning, and good for jam. (Also on Peach Stock).
SHIRO SMOMO.—Large. Yellow. Green-gage type.
WICKSON.—Large. Whitish-green with red colouring. A very popular plum. (Also on Peach stock).

LATE VARIETIES:

- KELSEY.**—The latest and largest. Yellow nearly overspread with red. Good for the market and the best for drying. (Also on Peach stock).

Japanese Ornamental Plums.

- VESUVIUS.**—Bright red and brown foliage. | **PISSARDII.**—Coppery-brown foliage.

CHERRIES.—On Mahaleb Cherry Stocks.

- BING.**—Very large. Dark red to black.
BLACK BIGGAREAU.—Large. Dark red to black.
BLACK TARTARIAN.—Large. Dark red to black. A favourite. Recommended.
EARLY RIVERS.—Medium. Red. Rather tart. Ripens a week before others.
ELTON.—Medium size. Yellow to red. Early mid-season.

- EMPEROR FRANCIS.**—Good size. Bright red to yellow.
GIANT HEIDELFINGER.—Very large. Dark red to black. Recommended.
GOVERNOR WOOD.—Very prolific. Small to medium. Yellow to bright red.
MONSTREUSE DE MEZEL.—Good size. Bright red to yellow. Recommended.
NAPOLÉON BIGGAREAU.—Very large. Yellow with red blush. Recommended.

ALMONDS.—On Peach Stocks.

(Several varieties of Almonds should be planted in close proximity to ensure thorough cross-fertilisation. The more sorts planted the better).

- BRAND'S JORDAN.**—Similar to Jordan, but soft shell.
BRITZ.—Hardy and a heavy bearer. Soft shell. Said to be self-fertile.
DRAKE'S SEEDLING.—A late bloomer. Soft shell. Bears heavily and early.
I.X.L.—Large nuts. Soft shell.
JORDAN.—The largest and most celebrated almond. Hard shell.

- NE PLUS ULTRA.**—Very large. Soft shell. Bears heavily.
NONPAREIL.—Medium size. Regular bearer. Soft shell.
PAPER SHELL.—Bears well. Very thin shell, but smaller than Nonpareil.
TEXAS PROLIFIC.—Late bloomer. Heavy bearer. Soft shell.

QUINCES.—On Quince Stocks.

BORRIE.—Soft flesh. Completely yellow. An old favourite.

CAPE SELECTED.—A South African variety, selected by ourselves.

MEECHES PROLIFIC.—Large. Golden yellow. Bears early. Very productive.

LOQUATS.—Cape Seedlings. We also have Dwarf Loquat trees worked on Quince Stock. They bear very early but remain small trees. They make good Ornamental trees.—Prices as for Citrus.

GUAVAS.—Selected Seedlings. — Prices as for Citrus Trees.

POMEGRANATES.—We have a small stock of these. Prices same as for Deciduous trees.

LOGANBERRIES.—

ORANGE.—Large, roundish. Golden yellow. Productive.

PORTUGAL.—Large. Yellow. Pear shaped.

RAE'S MAMMOTH.—Resembles Orange variety, but is larger.

VAN DIEMAN.—Above medium size. Greenish yellow. Sub-acid. Bears well.

YOUNGBERRIES.—

BLACKBERRIES.—Mammoth Variety.

WALNUTS.—Common English Variety.

HAZELNUTS.—Strong trees.

MULBERRIES.—We have a few of the large black Cape Variety.

GRENADELLAS.—Strong plants.

PERSIMMONS.—We have made arrangements with a local Grower to supply the best varieties.

OLIVE TREES.

Olives, being evergreen, are being packed and priced by us the same as for Citrus trees.

The nomenclature of Olives is indefinite. Therefore we are unable to extend our usual terms and Conditions of Sale to the varieties of the Olive.

We are stocking three varieties known as the best for oil producing, and the two best known for pickling.

The Olive is a tree likely to prove a commercial success in many parts of Africa. The trees withstand a considerable amount of drought, frost and strong winds. They will succeed in stony soils if not too sandy. They are less particular as to soils than are Fruit trees, only will not thrive on waterlogged lands.

It is stated that Olives will grow anywhere where Vines grow.

Olive trees start bearing at about five years and continue bearing until they attain a very great age, extending to a century and more.

The varieties stocked are:—

FOR OIL:

LATE BLANQUETTE.—An excellent variety for all purposes. Ripens very late. Strong growing variety.

LECCINO (Manzanillo).—Extensively cultivated in Italy. The most beautiful of Olives, with pendulous, sweeping branches, bearing a large oblong fruit in great profusion, and one of the best

for oil production, the quality of which is unsurpassed.

PIRAMIDALIS.—Tree of vigorous upright growth, regularly bearing heavy crops. Fruit large and fleshy.

FOR PICKLING:

ASCOLANA.—

SPANISH QUEEN.—

VINES.—On Phylloxera-proof Stocks.

(Prices reduced for quantities — see page 2).

EARLY VARIETIES:

BLACK PRINCE.—Large. Hardy. Dark purple to black.

FERDINAND DE LESSEPS (Pineapple Grape).—Early. Amber colour.

RED MUSCADEL.—Small, round berries. Very early. Red.

WHITE MUSCADEL.—Small, round berries. Very early. White.

MID-SEASON VARIETIES:

ALPHONSE LAVALLE.—Large black berries.

CRYSTAL.—Large round berries. White. Good flavour. Very popular.

GROS COLMAN.—Very large berries. Black. A most handsome variety.

HERMITAGE.—Medium to large, black oval berries. Good flavour.

MUSCAT HAMBRO.—Large oval berries, dark purple to black. Exquisite flavour. Recommended for general use.

PRUNE DE CAZOULS.—Medium size, black, oval berries. Firm flesh, thick skin. Latish.

RIBIER.—Large black berries. Good flavour. Suitable for export.

ROSAKI.—Similar to Waltham Cross. Very good for export and raisin making.

ROSE CHASSELAS.—A fine grape. When fully matured the berries are red. Keeps and carries well.

SULTANA.—(Thompson's Seedless).—The grape for Sultanias. Best in dry localities.

WALTHAM CROSS.—A handsome white grape. Large pale golden yellow berries. Good for export and raisin making.

WHITE FRENCH (Fransdruff).—Medium size berries. Early mid-season.

VINES.—On Phylloxera-proof Stocks—(Continued).—Late Varieties.

ALMERIA.—The latest of all grapes. White skin, thick and tough. Will keep long after cutting.
BARBAROSSA.—Large black round berries. Tough skin. A good carrier.
BARLINKA.—Medium size oval berries of deep purple. Very late. Carries well.
FLAMING TOKAY.—Large berries. Salmon pink to a reddish colour. Recommended for coast areas.
GROS NOIR.—Late mid-season. Very large black berries. Very suitable for export.

ISABELLA.—Late. Hard tough skin. Black. Suitable for Summer rainfall areas. Similar to Catawba.
LADY DOWNES SEEDLING.—A round, black grape. Berries large. Handsome. A good carrier.
RAISIN BLANC.—Large, white berries. Good flavour and very popular.
RED EMPEROR.—Very late. Large reddish berries. Very suitable for export.
RED HANEPOOT AND WHITE HANEPOOT.—Very popular and well-known sorts. Can be used for all purposes.

CITRUS TREES.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—Our Citrus Trees of all varieties are worked from strains personally selected by us in California many years ago, and bud selection has been systematically carried out.

All our trees are grown in the Nursery to a single stem and each tree is trained to a stake. No expense is spared upon them.

All our citrus trees are worked on Rough Lemon Stocks.

With our special method of packing, trees carry very successfully to far distant places with the minimum of loss.

ORANGES.

ADDOROSA (Pickstone's Jaffa).—Medium to late. Thornless. Very heavy and full flavoured. Almost totally seedless.
CLANWILLIAM SEEDLING.—Large and sweet. Ripens mid-season.
DU ROI.—In our opinion absolutely identical with Valencia Late. Said, however, to ripen shortly before that variety.
JOPPA.—Oblong. Almost seedless. Thin rind. Very juicy and sweet. Mid-season.
MEDITERRANEAN SWEET.—Thornless. Very productive. Fruit smallish, oval and inclined to thick skin. Soft, juicy and very sweet. Mid-season to late.
NAVELENCIA.—Is a sport of Valencia Late. Fruit of good size, smooth and thin skinned. Bears young.

PAPER RIND St. MICHAEL.—Very heavy bearer. Fruit small, round, solid and heavy. A general favourite. Mid-season.
RUBY BLOOD.—Medium size, nearly round. Follows the Navel.
THOMPSON'S IMPROVED NAVEL.—Closely allied to the Washington Navel, but a few days earlier.
VALENCIA LATE (Pickstone's).—Our special strain is almost seedless. Season latest. Flesh very rich colour. Skin light colour. A very valuable orange.
WASHINGTON NAVEL (Pickstone's).—The true Navel selected by us in California many years ago. The best early orange, too well-known to need any special description.

LEMONS.

EUREKA.—Tree nearly thornless. A prolific bearer. Fruit of the best quality. A general favourite.
GENOA.—Also known as Lisbon. Medium size, long oval. Thin and smooth skin. A first class lemon in every respect and bears abundantly.
VILLA FRANCA.—Strong growing variety. Practically thornless. Fruit is oblong, juicy and nearly seedless. Sweet rind.

LIMES.

TAHITI.—Round. Greenish flesh. Fruit nearly as large as a lemon. Very juicy and of the best quality. This is the fruit from which Lime Juice is made, and must not be confused with Lemons.

CITRONS.

CITRON OF COMMERCE.—This is the true citron.

GRAPE FRUIT.

MARSH'S SEEDLESS.—Medium size. Almost totally seedless. A good keeper and we consider the best of Grape Fruits.
TRIUMPH.—Of good flavour, but contains a number of seeds.

NARTJES.

CAPE NARTJE.—A selected sort. Best for export. Can be in every way recommended.
DANCY'S TANGERINE.—A similar variety to the Cape Nartje.
LATE CAPE NARTJE.—An excellent thin skinned yellow nartje of good size. Ripens late.
OONSHU (Japanese Nartje).—This is a very hardy, strong growing variety. It is the only variety that will withstand a considerable amount of frost, and for that reason should be popular in many parts of the Union where other varieties fail.